

## Proposed Bill No. 5174

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LCO No. 694

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by: REP. MEGNA, 97th Dist.

## AN ACT CONCERNING SERVICE OF PROCESS FEES WITH RESPECT TO FORECLOSURE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 52-261 of the general statutes be amended to provide
- 2 that officers and persons who serve process, summons or attachments
- 3 with respect to a foreclosure may receive only one service fee when the
- 4 lis pendens is an attachment to the writ, summons and complaint and
- 5 that the dollar per page fee is only earned when the copy is in fact
- 6 made by the officer or person.

## Statement of Purpose:

To limit certain service of process fees in order to protect individuals and businesses facing foreclosure.